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1. WHILE UK EMBASSY HERE HAS NO INFO ADDITIONAL TO THAT CONTAINED REFTTEL, IT EXPECTS TO GAIN BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF SITUATION ON JANUARY 18 WHEN UK CHARGE (SIMULTANEOUSLY ACCREDITED TO CONGO) MAKES REGULARLY SCHEDULED VISIT TO BRAZZAVILLE.

2. OFFICIAL ZAIRE NEWS AGENCY JANUARY 16 QUOTED GOC-B PRIME MINISTER LOPES AS HAVING ANNOUNCED ON RADIO THAT HIS COUNTRY WILL CONTINUE TO IMPORT PETROLEUM FROM SOGARA REFINERY ALTHOUGH IT IS OWNED BY PETROLEUM COMPANIES THAT WERE JUST NATIONALIZED. IF THIS SOURCE IS SHUT OFF, GOC-B HAS SUPPLY GUARANTEE FROM ELF-ERAP. LOPES ALSO SAID GOC-B HAS TAKEN STEPS TO JOIN OPEC.
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